

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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| Examiner   | : | Kantamneni, Shobha                   | Art Unit : | 1617 |
| Applicants | : | Kivlighn et al.                      | Conf. No.: | 4997 |
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| For        | : | Treatment For Cardiovascular Disease |            |      |

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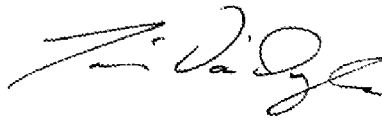
BOX AMENDMENT

**Petition for Extension of Time**

Sir:

Applicants petition for a two month extension of time to respond to the office action dated February 5, 2007. The time for responding should be extended July 5, 2007 and payment of the requisite fee is submitted herewith.

Respectfully submitted,



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